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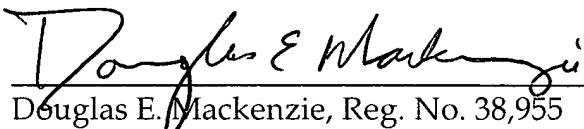
Claims 1-25 are present in this case. Consideration of the application in view of the following remarks is respectfully requested.

In the office action mailed March 9, 2001, the Examiner required restriction of prosecution to one of the following inventions: Group I including claims 1-6 and 16-20, Group II including claims 7-15, and Group III including claims 21-25. Applicants hereby elect, without prejudice, the invention of Group I including claims 1-6 and 16-20, drawn to an apparatus for in-ground fluid evaluation and a method of obtaining information about fluids from an in-ground hole, respectively.

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